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1. **EP 0 550 745 B1** - This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent No. 5,519,063.
2. **EP 0 951 897 B1** - This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent No. 6,180,123 B1.
3. **EP 1 034 766 A1** - An abstract of the disclosure of this document can be found in the English language Derwent Abstract submitted herewith.
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